

## Morgantown Police Department

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## "Leaving the Scene Suspect Apprehended"

On 02-25-15 at approximately 00:32 hours the Morgantown Police Department responded to a vehicle accident on Madigan Avenue. The victim advised that a light colored SUV hit his vehicle and left the scene. At approximately 04:00 hours the suspect vehicle was located on the Walnut Street Bridge traveling a very slow speed due to the damage of the accident. A traffic stop was made on this vehicle and the suspect, Taylor Monday of Morgantown, was placed under arrest for DUI and Striking an Unattended Vehicle. During the investigation the passenger, Wayne Purnell Jr., was also placed under arrest for two counts of Possession of a Controlled Substance.

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The Morgantown Police Department is committed to its goal of eliminating crime in our city. Citizens are encouraged to become a "**Partner in Policing**", by reporting suspected criminal activity to Morgantown Police Department Switchboard at (304) 284-7522. If you need immediate Police attention or a crime is in progress call 911.